

HAZARDOUS WASTE EMERGENCY RESPONSE OVERVIEW LEVEL 1 SAF3055

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this course is to ensure awareness and promote safety among individuals who are likely to *witness or discover* a hazardous substance release.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

At the Awareness level, the participant will be able to identify or discover a release of hazardous materials and be able to:

- Understand risks of hazardous materials:
- Understand hazmat emergencies;
- Recognize hazardous materials in an emergency;
- Identify hazardous materials, when possible;
- Understand your role in an emergency;
- Realize the need for additional resources;
- Understand the North American emergency response guidebook

CONTENT:

Course provides instruction and materials on:

- OSHA/EPA training requirements
- · Role of the Awareness Level First Responder
- Role of the LEPC
- Clues to Hazardous Materials identification
- Classes of Hazardous Materials
- Methods to determining presence of Hazardous Materials
- Procedures for initiating the ER Plan
- Procedures for implementing protective actions
- · Procedures for isolating the incident
- Identification of three actions for proper Termination
- Identifying information received by 1st responders during on-scene debriefing

METHODS:

Instructor/Video/Activity driven

LENGTH:

8 hours / 1 session

AUDIENCE:

All employees in a position to discover or witness a hazardous

material emergency

PREREQUISITES:

None

CEU CREDITS:

Not offered for this course